

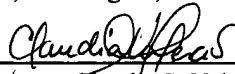
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Enclosed is the certified copy of the Italian Priority Document No. BO2000 A
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